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No. 18

New Eight Room School Building

Committee Will Have It Ready By September

Arlington is to build another school. This will be erected on land recently purchased by the town from the heirs of the late Kate Foster on Irving street, and will occupy the site where stood the Foster house for so many years. This land joins that of the Parmenter school, which at one time was a part of the Foster estate and was purchased from the late William T. Foster for school purposes. This school, as everyone in Arlington no doubt is familiar, is devoted to primary work. It will be used, when the new building is completed, to house Junior High pupils, who will come from the east part of the town and where there will be no place in the Junior High Center. Eventually there will have to be built a twenty-room Junior High school at East Arlington, but until that time comes, the school committee has asked the town, and it has received from the same, the right to erect a new building in what is known as the Parmenter school district to relieve the present Junior High building by the use of the old Parmenter school.

This matter was brought up at the Town meeting on Friday of last week, when the Town Meeting members voted to grant the request of the school committee to erect this new building, which will contain eight rooms with an auditorium that will seat 300, and a basement which will be used for gymnasium purposes. The building will be of brick with a pitched slate roof. It will be as nearly fire-proof as it can be made. The main entrance will be on Irving street, but there will also be one on

A PROTEST

Discontinuance of No-School Signal Is Not From Lack of Cooperation On Part of Fire Department.

Arlington, Mass. March 31, 1926 To the Editor of The Advocate:

Will you kindly allow me sufficient space in the "Advocate" to explain the position of the Fire Department in regard to sounding the "No-School Signal."

Today, yesterday and all the days before, as far back as 1891, when that signal was established, the Arlington Fire Department was and is ready at an instant's notice to sound it.

The only reason it has not been heard this year is, we have not received the notice. Furthermore, no discussion of that subject has ever taken place between the school officials and myself, for which reason I fail to understand how the report that the "No-School Signal" was discontinued because of lack of cooperation on the part of the Fire Department, could have originated.

There is no question but what it has received wide circulation, but that the people of Arlington should believe that I have the power to interfere with the functioning of the School Department to the extent of refusing the use of town equipment, seems incredible.

My department exists to serve the people and we take orders from those authorized to give them.

Yours very truly,

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Crosby School Pupils Give A Splendid Entertainment

The entertainment given by over one hundred and seventy pupils of the Crosby School last Thursday and Friday evenings, was attended by over six hundred, who were entertained with an especially fine program of music and sketches by the pupils in charge of the respective grade teachers.

The program of the evening follows:—The Teenie Weenie Orchestra, made up of pupils of the sub-primary class, dressed in blue capes lined with red and oversea hats. The leader of the orchestra was Peter Mail, and the class teacher, Miss Mary Burns, was the pianist. Their selections were "Rata Plan," "Missouri Waltz," and "Pink Lady." The second number was a "Sun Flower Drill," by the pupils of grade one in charge of Miss Mildred Lougee and Miss Josephine Goldsmith. "A Doll Drill" was given by the pupils of grade one, in charge of Miss Anna Cobb and Miss Josephine Goldsmith; "A Holiday," by the pupils of grade two, and arranged by Miss Marion Johnson and Miss Sara Henderson; piano solo, "Waltz," Ellen, by Charles Farrow. A play, "The Land of Health," in charge of Miss Helen Knowles and Miss Isabel Rae, was given by the pupils of grade three. The principal parts were taken by Donna Wood as Dame Nature; Edith Cogan as Sally, the little girl, and Richard Morgan as Tom the boy. A piano selection was given by Ida Rayberg, the composition being "Rondo All Tura." A health play, "Milk for the Whole World," was presented by the fourth grade pupils, in charge of Miss Mary McCusker, and was loaned by the New England Food and Dairy Council, together with the costumes worn. The principal characters were Uncle Sam, impersonated by Willard Hunt; John, Albert Hawkes; Mary, Jacqueline Burr, and the doctor, Mer-

Easter Music IN THE CHURCHES

SUNDAY, APRIL 4

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL Holy Communion 8 and 10 A. M. Rev. Charles Taber Hall, rector. Holy Communion 8 and 10:45 A. M., at the latter hour with music and sermon, "The Progressive Life." Church School Festival, and Easter pageant, "The Triumph of Love," 4:30 P. M. This service will be the last afternoon service for this season. The musical program at the 10:45 service will be: Organ Prelude, Christus Resurrexit, Ravanelli; Processional Hymn, Come ye Faithful; Sullivan; Kyrie, Mendelssohn; Hymn, Jesus Christ is risen today, Lyra Davidica; Offertory, In the End of the Sabbath, Macfarlane; Sanctus, Gounod; Gloria in Excelsis, Old Chant; Recessional Hymn, The Strife is o'er, Palestrina. Organ Postlude, Marche Pontificale, de la Tombelle. Paul Akin, Organist and Choirmaster. Howard Hayes, Tenor; Herbert Cole, Baritone, and mixed chorus.

FIRST PARISH (UNITARIAN) Organ Music 10:50. Service 11 A. M. Dr. Gill will speak on "The Upward Look of Easter." The choir will be assisted by Mr. Charles H. Farley, Trumpeter, and the music will include the following selections:—Organ and Trumpet, Hosanna, Crainer; Anthem, King of Kings, Simper; Anthem, At the Sepulchre, Neven; Trumpet Solo, Alleluia, Humphries; Anthem, Unfold Ye Portals, from Gounod's Redemption; Postlude, Triumphal March, Beethoven. Choir, Miss Laura Baldeh, Soprano; Miss Hattie F. Holmes, Contralto; Mr. Emory F. West, Tenor; Mr. Percy F. Baker, Baritone and Director; Miss Hattie E. Snow, Organist; Charles H. Farley, Trumpeter.

FIRST UNIVERSALIST CHURCH Service at 10:30 A. M. Soprano Solo, The Resurrection by Harry Rowe Shelley, Gertrude Grayson; Tenor solo, Oh, King Immortal, by Frank Brackett, George Garland; Quartette Anthem, Hosanna, Jules Granier; Easter Chimes, Charles Scott; In the End of the Sabbath by Macfarlane. Instrumental—Andante, Gounod; Priere, Squire; Response, Selected; Postlude, Selected. Quartette—Gertrude Grayson, Soprano; Laura Withers, Contralto; George Garland, Tenor; George Laing, Bass; Attilio Di Scipio, Cellist; Margaret W. Hanson, Organist.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH Service 10:25 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Prelude, Hallelujah, (Messiah), Handel; Anthems, Christ is risen, Turner; O sons and daughters, Leising; Therefore we are buried with Him by baptism, Dickey; Soprano solo, I know that my redeemer liveth (Messiah), Handel; Postlude, Grand Choeur, Dubois. The choir—Mrs. John Dick, soprano; Mrs. Frank H. Street, alto; John Ladd, tenor; Ralph Rollins, bass, assisted by the chorus. Mark S. Dickey, organist and director. At 7:30 P. M., "The Dawning," a pageant of the Resurrection by Lyman R. Bayard, will be presented by the young people of the church, under the direction of Albert W. Derbyshire, pastor's assistant.

ORTHODOX CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Service at 10:55 A. M. Prelude, "Andante Religioso," from Cello in D minor, Vieuxtemps, Marjorie Posselt, violinist; Anthem, "In the End of the Sabbath," MacFarlane; Anthem, "God Hath Appointed a Day," Tours; Soprano Solo, "Alleluia," 17th Century; Quartet, "The Magdalene," Warren; Offertory, "Canzonnetta," D'Ambrosio, Marjorie Posselt, violinist; Organ Postlude, "Toccata," Widor. Quartet—Helen E. Barr, soprano; Jean Lynch, alto; Paul E. Bennett, tenor; Charles H. Grant, bass; Walter N. Kilburn, organist, assisted by Marjorie Posselt, violinist. 4:30 P. M., Easter Pageant by the Sunday School.

TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH Services at 10:30 A. M. Service at 10:30. Music by the chorus of sixteen voices. Anthems to be sung are: "Awake, Awake, 'tis Easter Morn," by Everett Truette; "They Have Taken Away My Lord," J. E. Trowbridge; and "On Wings of Living Light," by E. Hosmer. The solos will be by Mrs. C. E. Farrow and Mrs. W. A. Corcoran. The anthem of the evening service will be "Choir Angelic" by Hanscom. There will be a pageant at the hour of the evening service. Church organist, Mrs. Florence E. Jones.

HEIGHTS BAPTIST CHURCH Service at 10:30 A. M. and 7:30 P. M. Service at 10:30. Music by chorus. Anthem, "Christ is Risen," with Mrs. Norman Hitchcock, soloist. Sunday school concert in the evening with recitations and songs by the Primary department and church school. The cantata, "The Resurrection," by Fayette Mannerly, will be given by the church chorus, the program as follows:—"He is Risen," by chorus; soprano solo, "For Since by Man Came Death," Mrs. George Stevens; baritone solo, "The Empty Tomb," by Mr. Atwood of Medford; trio, "Who Has Rolled Away the Stone," Mrs. Stevens, Miss Eleanor Maynard and Miss Priscilla Freeman; tenor solo, "Why seek ye the Living Among the Dead," by Mr. Charles Wharton; chorus, "Angels Roll the Stone Away," baritone solo, "Mary Magdalene," Mr. Atwood; chorus, "Blessed are They," Soprano solo, "They Have Taken Away My Lord," Mrs. Stevens; tenor solo, "Woman Why Weepst Thou!" "O Death Where is Thy Sting?" and "Blessing and Honor" by chorus. Miss Ruth Freeman is in charge with Mrs. George Stevens, director of music. Miss Grace Champlin, organist.

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Many Discussions Brought Up At Annual Town Meeting

\$122,000 Appropriated For New Parmenter School; Building To Start At Once

Two town meetings, both called for the same evening, and both containing matters of vital importance to the town, certainly attracted a very large number on last Friday evening, beside Town Meeting Members. Of this latter there were present 210, the full number being 261. This was a splendid showing and the members are to be commended. However, many evidently thought that the meetings were called at 8 o'clock instead of 7:30, for when 7:30 arrived, Moderator Judge John G. Brackett found that he was lacking the required number to make a quota. A few minutes after the necessary number were present and the business of the special warrant was first opened.

Frederick W. Hill, chairman of the Board of Selectmen, asked that this meeting be recessed at 8:00 o'clock, in order that the annual town meeting might be considered. This was agreeable to the meeting and the first article was taken up, which called for the reports of the committee on amendment, alteration, repeal or revision of or additions to the town's by-laws; of the committee under vote of the town passed Jan. 14, 1926, to procure plans and estimates for the construction of a school building on land of the town situated on Irving street; of the committee under vote of the town passed March 26, 1925, to investigate and consider the matter of additional police accommodations, and the Finance Committee.

Edward N. Lacy reported for the committee in charge of the by-law changes. In the main, the changes recommended are that the building laws will be so altered as to allow the erection of a certain type of apartment house in the business district of the town. Mr. Lacy for his committee asked that the work of the committee be taken as progressive and he asked that his committee be given further time in order to make more changes, all of which will be for the betterment of the town and also allow the by-laws to be put into a workable condition. The committee feels that some other sections will have to be altered and changed as the law becomes operative. They were granted the permission by a unanimous vote, it being very evident that the citizens feel certain that in this committee they have men who have the interests of the town at heart, who are trying to make this a better place in which to live, and at the same time not permitting the erection of building that will be a detriment but instead making it possible for the

builder to erect a different class of building than heretofore and so making the business section more attractive that will tend to bring in more taxable property to the town.

Elliott R. Barker, for the committee on the school for Irving street, known as the new Parmenter school, stated briefly that the recommendations of his committee were the same as those of the Finance committee on this subject. The Finance committee in their report recommended the erection of a school building on this lot. The matter came up later for discussion.

Selectman Frederick W. Hill, for the committee on Police station, stated that the committee recommended a building and this matter would come up later under the Finance committee report.

Charles W. McMillan for the Town Planning Board, reported that the board had had a pamphlet printed in accordance with the vote of the town and this was distributed to the town meeting members. This booklet is interesting as was stated in the Advocate of last week. It is full of much valuable information and if the plans suggested in the booklet are carried out, this town will be one of the finest in the state.

The newly elected chairman of the Finance Committee, J. William Fellows, then presented the report of his committee bearing on the several articles in the warrant and the report was accepted, article one being laid on the table.

Article two, pertaining to the erection of a new Police station on land now owned by the town on Central street, was the first matter taken up. At this point William A. Muller spoke relative to the manner in which the competitive bids for the buildings in the town was held. He was strongly against not letting the local architects have first choice in the matter of local buildings. That they should be invited to produce plans. William A. Drouet asked why tie the hands of a committee. The committee would be useless in his estimation if such a vote as Mr. Muller advocated went through. At this point Moderator Brackett ruled that the matter would better come up after Article four in the warrant and this being agreeable to Mr. Muller, the matter was dropped temporarily.

The time having arrived for the annual meeting the special meeting was recessed and the warrant for the annual meeting was presented. By agreement, it was voted to recess the annual meeting at 8:15 and again take up the special meeting.

BOARD OF TRADE

ANNUAL BANQUET The annual meeting and banquet of Arlington Board of Trade will be held in Memorial Town Hall on the evening of Tuesday, April 6. In the ten years that have elapsed since reorganization, the Board of Trade has grown large in membership, strong in the regard of fellow citizens and stands in a new decade under the most favorable auspices. The banquet will be served at 6:30, to be followed by a business meeting, an address by Dr. David D. Vaughn on "American Ideals" and an entertainment closing the affair. For these last events the gallery will be open to the public, tickets for which are 50 cents.

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AGE

OCCUPATION

RESIDENCE APRIL 1, 1926

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of every person twenty years of age and upwards whether a citizen or not, residing therein.

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All information to be as of April 1, 1926

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Walter H. Peirce
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SPECIAL NOTICE!

Office of the Town Clerk
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EASTER MESSAGE

And they that passed by reviled him, wagging their heads and saying: "Thou that destroyest the temple and buildest it in three days, save thyself. If thou be the Son of God, come down from the cross."

Easter, which the Christian world observes on Sunday, is the answer both to the sneer and the challenge of the passers-by on the fateful day so long ago. Betrayed by a follower, deserted by friends, alone He hung on the cross and with the words on His lips, "It is finished," bowed His head on the completion of His earthly mission.

Hours pass, a new day dawns. There is an empty tomb; there is One walking with sorrowing disciples, "whose hearts burn within them as He talks with them by the way," and who now realize that "He who was dead is alive again;" that the symbol of His humiliation and suffering has become the signal of His triumph; that each recurring Easter morning was to bring new assurance that Christ came down from the cross an ever living force that is to go on augmenting until "every knee shall bow and every tongue confess."

The work He inaugurated He committed to human hands, but with the assurance, "Lo, I am with you always." It will go forward or halt as human hands and hearts decide. Of ultimate triumph there can be no doubt, for God's time measure is not ours, but to be a sharer, all must remember "that the night cometh when no man can work" and seize the opportunity of our brief day to bear our share in spreading the glory of the cross.

GRAND ARMY ENCAMPMENT

Next week on Tuesday and Wednesday, Massachusetts Department of the Grand Army of the Republic will meet in Faneuil Hall in Boston for the election of officers and transaction of the business that for almost sixty years has annually brought its members together, for several years now with rapidly diminishing ranks. Unlike any other institution, the Grand Army of the Republic made no provisions for its continuance beyond the span of life of its original membership. With the mustering out of the last few survivors, if not before because of failing health, this unique organization will cease to function as a unit and then lapse into a memory only.

There is a degree of pathos closely allied to this fact, but it is the inevitable of all that is human, so why be sad. There is nothing here so permanent that "time," with its chisel and mallet, will not sooner or later engrave "finis" on that which has come to be but a memory, and this the G. A. R. is hastening on to. At high water mark in its membership, Mass. Department numbered considerably over twenty-six thousand comrades. They were then in the flush of their sturdy manhood, bearing their share in carrying on the government they had helped to save. They now number less than six thousand and all have passed the four score mark in the matter of age; but between these two periods they have been doing things and leaving an impress on the youth of the land that is quite sure to make permanent the things they have stood for through the passing years,—that type of Americanism that differentiates this country from the people of other lands and makes us the envied of all.

ARLINGTON HISTORICAL SOCIETY HOLD MEETING

Thomas F. Priest and Frank A. Woodhead Give Talk on Their Hobbies.

The meeting of the Arlington Historical Society held Monday evening, March 29th, in the parlor of the First Parish (Unitarian) church, proved an interesting one from the fact that the speakers were two well-known Arlington residents, who came before the society to tell of their "hobby."

The first speaker presented by the president, Judge James P. Parmenter, was Mr. Thomas F. Priest, who for years has been a member of Arlington Police department. Mr. Priest became interested in violins when but fifteen years old, and since then has collected between thirty and forty violins. They have been picked up for small sums in many places, especially in Maine, where Mr. Priest has found them tucked in some attic or out in a wood shed as something long since discarded, but which after coming into his possession, have been restored by an expert and have been found in many instances to be worth many times the amount paid by Mr. Priest. The recital of how Mr. Priest came in possession of some of these instruments made an interesting story, and a few of his finest violins were exhibited at this time. Mr. Priest also played on one at the close of his talk. A brother of Mr. Priest was also present, and he gave some of the old time Irish jigs and other songs well known to the audience, which were heartily enjoyed. Mr. Priest showed a banjo picked up in Norway, Me., the drum head being a stew pan. One of his finest instruments was found in Londonderry, Ireland, by Mr. Barr of Arlington Heights and purchased from a street fiddler for Mr. Priest. Another violin was found in a home at Arlington Heights, where the owner cared so little for it that it had been relegated to the wood shed. That Mr. Priest loves his instruments was shown in the fact that each was encased in a silk bag besides its leather case.

Mr. Frank A. Woodhead, manager of the Arlington Gas Light Company, was the second speaker. His subject was "Anecdotes about Collecting." Both Mr. and Mrs. Woodhead have been collectors of antiques since 1908, Mr. Woodhead stating that he became interested in seeing in the home of his wife's parents, many choice pieces of furniture and other antiques. He told several stories about rare antiques, the value of which were not known by the owner and so had been purchased by connoisseurs who had disposed of them to their advantage. One especially interesting story was of selling two Malbone miniatures to the Metropolitan Museum in New York for a large sum, which had first been purchased for less than ten dollars. How easily it is to be deceived in the real value of an antique was touched upon by the speaker, also a warning to his audience against allowing so-called collectors to enter our homes and perhaps inveigle us into disposing of our treasures, which, in nearly every instance, is at a loss to the seller. He also would guard against the summer sales that are advertised to take place in old-fashioned houses, but where usually have been gathered articles that are not always what they are advertised to be. Mr. Woodhead spoke of the lighting that followed that of candle light and showed one of the first substitutes, which was made out of iron and in the shape of a shoe without a heel. This was interesting but not more so than his talk of a half hour, which was not only informing, but helpful, for it was evident that Mr. Woodhead is a connoisseur on all kinds of antiques from furniture, including mirrors, of which he has in his possession one that had been in a family for seven generations, to old manuscripts and books, besides glassware, especially the Sandwich.

During the business session that prefaced the speakers, five resignations were received and accepted; one new member was voted into the society. Edward Hill presented the society with Town Reports for the years 1845 to 1867. The Bay State League will hold its next meeting in Reading. The president appointed Mrs. H. H. Homer, Mr. Charles A. Hardy and Miss Edith Winn a nominating committee to bring in a list of officers to be voted on at the next meeting, which is the annual.

PRINCIPAL HAWKES HAS WRITTEN MANUAL THAT IS ATTRACTING WIDE ATTENTION

Principal Franklin P. Hawkes of Arlington Junior High West has written a manual for the convenience of teachers as well as principals that he explained in a speech delivered before the Junior High school section of the Principal's conference held at Amherst, Wednesday of last week. The chief speaker of the whole day was Mr. James M. Glass, Director of Junior High Schools for the State of Pennsylvania. Following the speeches, Mr. Glass spoke to Mr. Hawkes, saying that he had seen the Manual for Junior West in West Palm Beach, Florida; since he had but fifteen minutes to look it over, he wished to have a copy for himself. This was furnished to him by Mr. Hawkes, who is awaiting the opinion of his leader in Junior High School Education.

The fact that the Manual is in the hands of the Commissioner of Education of Alabama, that it has been passed around at a Conference of Junior High Principals in Florida, that it is in the hands of over 35 of the Senior High, Junior High and Elementary School Principals of the State of Massachusetts goes to show that a worth-while contribution is being made to education by Principal Hawkes of Junior West. To cap the climax, the interest taken by Dr. Glass of Pennsylvania reveals the standing of our Arlington Principal.

Arlington in Review

From the Files of the
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IN 1901

Twenty-Five Years Ago This Week

Rev. W. H. Ryder of Gloucester will be the orator on the 19th of April at Arlington.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward S. Fessenden announce the engagement of their daughter, Laura, to Mr. Robert H. Beglen of Medford.

The Shakespearean Club met Friday evening with Mrs. F. A. Wadleigh and finished the reading of the plays taken up this winter. The rest of the meetings will be devoted to review and analysis.

Bluebirds have joined the robins and they are cordially welcomed as they fly from brush to tree.

Thursday evening, March 28th, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Holmes entertained at dinner, Prince Peter Kropotkin and Rev. R. E. Ely.

Miss Ethel Black, daughter of Miss Lillian Lawrence, the popular Castle Square actress, will spend her Easter vacation with Mrs. W. O. Partridge.

Rebekah Lodge is to celebrate its second anniversary with a social on Monday, April 15.

Tuesday evening at the Park Avenue church, the Y. P. S. C. E. Society held their annual meeting and election of officers which resulted as follows:—president, Mr. Ed. Nicholl; vice-president, Miss Josie Learned; recording secretary, Miss Edith Mann; corresponding secretary, Miss Emma Bennett; treasurer, Mr. Herbert Snow; chairman of the Lookout committee, Mr. Herbert Snow; prayer meeting, Mr. William Hadley; missionary and flowers, Miss Tukey; social, Minot Bridgman; music, Elina Bridgman; junior superintendent, Alice White. It was voted to purchase a more expensive organ than was at first proposed and after a somewhat lengthy discussion, the sum of \$335 was appropriated for the same. The organ will be in readiness for the Easter services on Sunday.

IN 1876

Fifty Years Ago This Week

There will be a union meeting in the Town Hall Sunday evening, commencing at 7 o'clock, under the auspices of the Arlington Reform Club. The members of all the church choirs, the ladies and gentlemen who last winter sang in the "Haymakers" and all other trained voices in town are invited to aid the club with the singing and are requested to report to Mr. W. E. Wood at 6.45 o'clock in the ante-room of the hall.

The annual meeting of the Congregational Parish was held Wednesday evening, when the following officers were elected: Parish Clerk, G. W. Morse; treasurer, William H. Richardson; standing committee, Warren S. Frost, R. J. Hardy, A. D. Holt; singing committee, R. J. Hardy, G. H. Rugg, George Swan; auditor, G. H. Rugg.

James O'Brien, Esq., secretary of the National Union, will deliver a lecture in the Town Hall, Arlington, under the auspices of the Arlington Catholic T. A. B. Society, Thursday evening, April 6th, at 7.30 o'clock.

The School Committee met last Monday evening and organized by the choice of Rev. D. R. Cady, chairman and Charles F. Goodwin, clerk. The business consisted of the selection of some important committees and the usual routine business.



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By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgage deed given by Michael J. Duggan and Annie Duggan to Nora A. McCormack dated December 7, 1922, and recorded in the Registry of Deeds for the County of Middlesex (So. D. St.) Book 4586, Page 175, for breach of the condition contained in said mortgage and for the purpose of foreclosing the same, will be sold at public auction, on the premises, on Monday the twelfth day of April 1923, at four o'clock in the afternoon, all and singular the premises conveyed by said mortgage deed, namely:—The land in Arlington, with the buildings thereon, being part of lots No. 46 & 47 on a plan of building lots in Arlington, belonging to John J. and Robert Henderson, J. O. Goodwin, Surveyor, dated October 1884, and recorded with Middlesex South Registry of Deeds, Plan Book 45, Plan 4, bounded as follows: Beginning at a point on the new line of Sawin St. on said plan, 65 feet distant from the corner of Henderson St. and Sawin St. on said plan and running in a westerly direction along the new line of Sawin St. 42.50 feet to the line of lot 43, thence turning and running in a southerly direction along the line of lot 43 and part of the line of lot 42 to a point 10 feet distant from the new line of Sawin St.; thence turning and running at right angles in an easterly direction in a straight line, 30 feet distant from the dividing line between lots 42 & 43, thence turning and running in a northeasterly direction diagonally across to a point on the dividing line between lots 45 & 47, sixty-five (65) feet, distant from the line of Henderson St. thence turning and running in a Northerly direction on 45 feet to a point of beginning. See plan recorded at end of Book 44.5, C. H. Gannett, C. E., dated Nov. 9, 1921.

Said premises are subject to two prior mortgages duly recorded with said deeds. Said premises will be sold subject to all restrictions, unpaid taxes, municipal liens, and assessments, and tax titles, if any.

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For further particulars consult Thomas L. Thistle, Attorney for mortgagee, 84 State Street, Boston, Mass. 19mar3w

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KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS ATTEND CHURCH IN A BODY

Arlington Council, Knights of Columbus, received Holy Communion in St. Agnes church on Sunday morning at 7:00 o'clock mass. Prior to the mass, the members assembled in their hall on Mystic street and marched to the church in a body, when the chaplain of the council, Rev. Mathew J. Flaherty, celebrated the mass. The council attended 100 per cent. Music for the mass was sung by members of the junior choir of the church. Following the mass, the members marched to Robbins Memorial Town Hall, where breakfast was served by the Hardy Catering Company. G. K. M. J. Canniff presided, and after the breakfast presented J. Lowe McMahon, district deputy of the council, and William R. Barry of Peabody, both of whom spoke on Patriotism. Incidental to the speaking, there were vocal numbers by William McDonald, William A. Scanlon and John Shaw. Fr. Flaherty paid fine tribute to the men on the showing that they had made, while John A. Bishop, chairman of the trustees of the council, complimented the council on its large attendance.

THE FRIENDS OF THE DRAMA HAVE AN EVENING OF READINGS AND MUSIC

The Friends of the Drama met Friday evening of last week in the vestry of the First Parish Unitarian church. In the absence of the president, Mrs. Roscoe Perry, who was detained at home by reason of the illness of Mr. Perry, who is a victim of the scarlet fever, the meeting was presided over by Mr. Berry.

The program was somewhat of a departure from the usual attraction. It consisted of readings by Miss Miriam Hendrick and Mrs. Millicent Stanger, both of the Leland Powers school of Expression, the former who will graduate this year and the latter having already done so. Mrs. Stanger has one of the leading parts in "The Copperhead," which the Friends will present April 22 and 23. Miss Helen Stinson, the older daughter of Mrs. H. H. Stinson, a member of the Friends, was heard in songs, and Leonard Dudley Wood, the younger son of Mrs. Harold B. Wood, also a member of the Friends, gave a group of violin numbers, the last being his own composition. The piano score was written by Mrs. Wood, who accompanied her son.

The evening closed with the serving of punch and cookies by the committee made up of Mrs. N. J. Hardy, Mrs. Walter Vaughn and Mrs. Lewis Stickney.

STUDY CLUB VISIT PEABODY MUSEUM

The Arlington Heights Study Club was entertained Tuesday, March 23, at the Peabody Museum by the Art committee, members going by trolley and auto. Mrs. George Adams Clark, president, presided. The sec-

retary, Mrs. Clarence Johnson, gave a report of the last meeting. Mrs. James Kernan, treasurer, reported \$100.70 made for the Scholarship Fund by the bridge party of March 9th. Mrs. Foster Doane, chairman of the nominating committee presented the list of officers to be voted on for the coming year. Mrs. Clark then turned the meeting over to Mrs. Bezanson.

The subject of the afternoon was "The Art of the American Indian," and most interesting and instructive papers were well prepared and read by Mrs. Bezanson and Mrs. H. A. Taudien. The club was honored with the presence of Mrs. Cyrus Dallin, who gave a short, but interesting talk. Mrs. Bert S. Currier told of her experience with the Indians while in California. The club spent the balance of the afternoon viewing the many and artistic handicrafts of the Indians as well as the models of their various homes and camps, wrought with almost unbelievable skill. The pottery and baskets were most artistic in design and colorings. These are never duplicated. The bead work was not only intricate, but very beautiful. There was a wampum belt and a burden strap, the latter made of vegetable fibre and embroidered with dyed mosses hair and used by women for supporting burdens on their backs.

Mrs. Dallin was of great assistance in looking up specimens. The club decided that many afternoons might be profitably spent at this museum. The Indians are natural artists of which there is ample evidence at Peabody Museum.

JUNIOR HIGH WEST HEARS FROM "THE WHITE HOUSE"

Upon receipt of the news of Col. Coolidge's death, the Assembly for Friday, March 19th, was interrupted. The whole school stood for one minute in absolute silence and reverence.

At the request of the Principal, each class of each grade tried to write to the President a letter of consolation. The best letter from each grade was selected:—Grade IX, Dorothy Wells; Grade VIII, Lora Thurston; Grade VII, Edward Cook.

These letters, together with one from the teachers and Principal, were sent to the President. The following reply was received:—

The White House, Washington, March 24, 1926.

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The President wishes me to send to you, to your associates, and to the pupils of your High School his sincere thanks for your kind messages of sympathy.

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FIFTY VOICES SING IN ST. AGNES CHURCH PALM SUNDAY

The usual large congregations filled St. Agnes church on Palm Sunday. In the evening at eight o'clock, there was a fine program of music, sung by a chorus of fifty voices, under the direction of William F. Kelley, tenor, with solos by members of the choir of the church, and also pupils of Mr. Kelley. Miss Emma Roche was the organist. The following program was finely rendered:—

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"First World"—Seven Last Words—Dubois

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Chorus, "Shine on Our Souls," Ma's Chorus Messrs. Shaw, Sullivan, Hayes, O'Connor, Hyde, first tenors; Messrs. Hynes, Nolan, Bower, MacDonald, second tenors; Messrs. Fitzpatrick, Carroll, Casey, Ford first bass; Messrs. Chisholm, Ralph, Coyne, Kahn, Hendrick, second bass.
"Jerusalem" (from Gounod's Galila)
Soprano solo, Mrs. O'Hearn and Chorus
"Cujus Animam" (from Rossini)

Tenor solo, James O'Connor
"Palms" Tenor solo Howard Hayes
"Panis Angelicus," contralto solo

Miss Mary Schrode
"God my Father" (from Dubois) "Seven last words," baritone solo by Albert Casey
"Benedicite" by Baine, Male trio, Messrs. Hayes, O'Connor, Hyde, first tenors; Messrs. Hynes, Corcoran, Kelley, second tenors; Messrs. Fitzpatrick, Kahn, Ford, Hendrick, second bass.
"O Salutaris," (from Holden) tenor solo

Michael O'Donnell
"Tantum Ergo," (from Rossi)
Mrs. O'Hearn, soprano, Mr. Casey and Chorus.

"Jesu Dei Fili," by Verdi. Mrs. O'Hearn, soprano; Mr. Kelley, tenor; Mr. Casey, baritone.
Recessional, "Gloria," (from Mozart's 12th Mass) Chorus
"Ave Maria" by Gounod. Soprano solo by Miss Eileen Sullivan.

AUTOMOBILE ACCIDENT

Arlington Woman Cut by Broken Glass.

Saturday evening a heavy sedan operated by Joseph Cummings, of 4 Grant street, Reading, and a light sedan operated by John J. Carmon, who lives off Reed street, were in collision at Park avenue and Lowell street, the heavier car being tipped over by the impact and considerably damaged. In the car with Mr. Cummings were Mrs. Mary Goodwin of 92 Grafton street, Arlington; Mrs. Della Cummings, his wife; and his mother, Mrs. Anna Cummings, of Holmes avenue, Dorchester. Mrs. Goodwin received a cut on her face by flying glass and the other occupants were badly shaken up. The three ladies were taken to the Symmes Arlington Hospital in a taxi, but later were able to go to their homes. The light car was damaged but little.



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EASTER SERVICE IN ARLINGTON CHURCHES

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PARK AVENUE CONGREGATIONAL.
Prelude, Orchestra and Organ, Selected; Anthem, "Awake Thou that Sleepest," B. Jackson; Anthem, "The Chains of Death are Risen," Wm. R. Spence; Anthem, "Come See the Place Where Jesus Lay," George A. Burditt; Response, "Near the Cross Was Mary Weeping," Irving Emerson; Offertory, Orchestra and Organ, Selected; Anthem, "The Walk to Emmaus," George B. Nevins; Postlude, Orchestra and Organ, Selected.

Quartet—Helen E. Barr, soprano; Jean Mrs. H. H. Stinson, alto; Mr. Leonard O. Waters, tenor; Mr. Carl Bye, bass, assisted by orchestra under direction of Mr. Harry I. Tinkham. Miss Almira Newcomb, Organist and Director.

CHURCH OF OUR SAVIOUR.
Services from 7 A. M. to 7 P. M.

7 a. m., Holy Communion; 9:30, Children's carol service instead of the Sunday School session; 11 a. m., Easter service with musical program as follows:—processional hymn, "Welcome Happy Morning," "The Strife is O'er," recessional, "Come Ye Faithful Raise the Strife." The anthem by the church choir will be "Now Is Christ Risen," by H. P. Danks. Organist, Mrs. C. M. Hunt, assisted by Miss Olga Dods, violin. Evening service at 7 o'clock with sermon by the pastor on "Life Immortal." Following the sermon the regular question box will be conducted.

CALVARY METHODIST EPISCOPAL.
Service at 10:30 A. M.

Morning service at 10:30, prelude, "Resurrection Morn," Johnston; anthem, "Awake Thou That Sleepest," Maker; Anthem, "Christ is Risen," Dressler; offertory, "Christo Triumphant," Yon; sermon, "Just Beyond the Cross," by the pastor, Rev. A. J. Strat; anthem, "Lift Your Glad Voices," Avery, arranged with "Alleluia Chorus" by Handel; postlude, "Triumphal March," Shuey. Evening service, prelude, "Entrée Triumphant," Wachs; psalm, by church school, "Daybreak," by Helen Patten Hanson; offertory, "Adoration," Atherton; postlude, "Grand Choeur," by Ashford. Mrs. Esse F. Reardon, soprano; Mr. William O. Lovejoy, tenor; Mr. Carl S. Nelson, organist.

ST. AGNES CHURCH.
Services, 7:00, 8:00, 9:00, 10:00, 11:00, 11:30. Solemn High Mass, 10:00.

Kyrie, Gloria, Credo, Sanctus, Agnus Dei, from Mass of St. Mass; Offertory, "Regina Coeli," Hammerl, Mrs. Katherine D. O'Hearn; "Jerusalem," from Gaila, Mrs. O'Hearn.

Miss Emma Roach, organist, William F. Kelley, tenor and director; Mrs. Katherine D. O'Hearn, soprano; Miss Mary Schrode, alto; John R. Hendrick, bass.

FIRST METHODIST EPISCOPAL.
Morning service at 10:45, with baptism and reception of members. Special music by vested choir, the anthems to be sung being "The Day of Resurrection," by William R. Spence, and "Why Seek Ye the Living," by Calixt Simper. The director of music is Mr. Louis E. Danton, and the organist is Miss Edith L. Pezoldt. Evening service at 7 o'clock. Members of the Sunday school will give the cantata, "The Resurrection," which will be directed by Miss Elsie Williams.

CROSBY SCHOOL PUPILS GIVE A SPLENDID ENTERTAINMENT

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Bill Brown. Miss Barbara Llewellyn contributed to the program with a piano solo, "In Hanging Gardens," by Davis.

Another play, "Mary Anne's Book," was well given by the pupils of grade five, in charge of Miss Hazel Beckett and Mrs. Blanche Stone. The pupils taking part were, Mary Anne, Marion Gove; Frances Brown, Grace Aker; Queen of the Fairies, Ethel Bourdon; Attendant Fairies, Eleanor Sorny and Marion Connor; history, Bernice Maddocks; geography, Veronica Lax; arithmetic, William Hausser; penmanship, Dorothy Tarlow; dictionary, Alice Alexander; spelling, Ruth Goodwin; music, Virginia Proctor; English, John Jones; geography, blank book, Elizabeth Creatch; Indian, John Duggan; Norseman, Edward Cassidy; Spaniard, Vincent Quatt'ochi; Frenchman, Arthur Walton, and Englishman, Gordon Clark, and discarded books, Claire Peterson, Frederick Munn, Mary Condon, Dana Barker and Phyllis Lombard.

The Crosby Orchestra, made up of pupils of the Crosby, Russell and Cutter schools, in charge of Miss Mary Wardle, made their first appearance in public on this occasion, and performed remarkably well. The last number of the evening was a play, "The Melting Pot," by the pupils of grade six, in charge of Miss Mildred Evans. It was a story of the Americanization of the strangers within our gates. The parts were taken as follows:—Uncle Sam, Lindsey Blathrow; Boy Scout, Henry Lackli; teacher, Emma McArthur; Irish boy, Ralph Haskell; Dutch boy and girl, Billy Rupert and Anna Sevolan; Greek boy, Bradley Carle; Italian boy, Angelo Graci; two Swiss girls, Winifred Moody and Lucille Bradbury; Swedish boy, Robert Seale; Polish boy, Arthur Gorsum; Hungarian boy, Harry Susna; Russian girl, Estelle Miller; Jewish girl, Mary Winchenbaugh; girl representing the D. A. R., Jessie McKenzie.

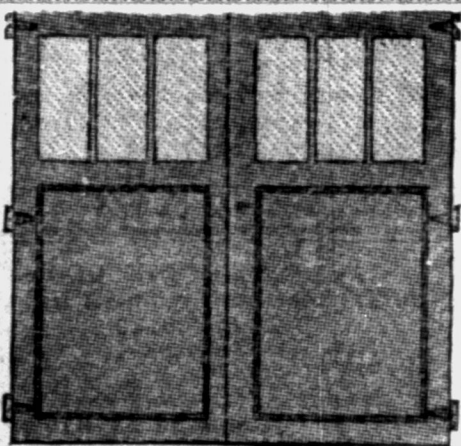
The entire program was under the direction of the principal, Miss Elsie Seward, and the proceeds, which was a gratifying amount, will be used to buy equipment for the Teenie Weenie orchestra, pictures and records for the school, and also some shrubs for the school grounds.

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COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS PROBATE COURT

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Abbie F. Andrews, late of Arlington, in said County, deceased, Intestate.

WHEREAS a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to Gertrude B. Holt of Arlington, in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on her bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twenty-first day of April A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week for three successive weeks, in the Arlington Advocate, a newspaper published in Arlington, the last publication to be one day, at least before said Court.

Witness, JOHN C. LEGGAT, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this thirty-first day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

2apr3w LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

SPECIAL NOTICE

All persons interested in the following petition will meet in the Selectmen's Room, Town Hall, Arlington, on Monday, April 12, 1925 at the time set.

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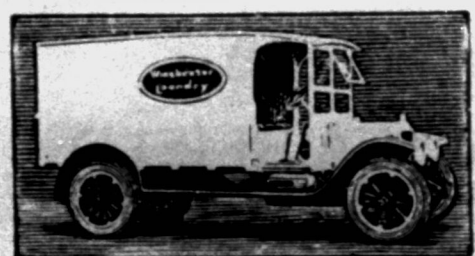
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ARLINGTON HEIGHTS

—Mr. George Hoffman is recovering from his recent illness at his home, 41 Park Avenue North.

—Mrs. Clarence E. Gale and two daughters, of Belmont, are spending the Easter holiday from school in Washington, D. C.

—A son was born on March 23rd at Symmes Hospital to Osborn C. and Evelyn McPherson Brooks of 20 Lowell street.

—The many friends of Mrs. W. C. Hannah are glad to hear that she is recovering from a several weeks' illness.

—Mrs. John Henderson of Dan's street, entertained with a six cover luncheon on Wednesday. The luncheon was one of the chain luncheons given for the benefit of the Park Avenue Church Building Fund.

—Clara Elizabeth Bates of 54 Columbia street, Cambridge, and Herbert Wilson, Jr., of 40 Woodbury street, this town, were married in Cambridge, last Saturday, March 27. Rev. William D. Goble performed the ceremony.

—The next business meeting of the Arlington Heights Sunshine Club will be held at the home of Mrs. Harold T. Canfield, 17 Wachuset Avenue, Wednesday, April 7th. The assisting hostess will be Mrs. E. E. Soderquist. The social meeting of the club will be held on April 14th, at Hambury Hall. Mrs. Harold E. Ring, hostess, with Mrs. Frank Biggs assisting.

—Last Saturday evening, Miss Charlotte Lloyd entertained a group of friends with an evening of bridge at the home of her grandmother, Mrs. C. F. Parsons. The decorations were beautiful flowers that were the gifts of friends to Mrs. Parsons in recognition of her birthday anniversary last week. Three tables were used in play.

—The Young People's meeting at the Park Avenue Congregational church last Sunday at 5.30, was well attended and proved a most interesting one. The speaker of the afternoon was Miss Gertrude Van Rieën of Boston University School of Religious Education, and she illustrated her talk on "Easter and Art" with many of the masterpieces in keeping with the Lenten season. Following the meeting, refreshments were served in charge of Miss Beryl May and a social hour and profitable discussion followed.

—Mrs. W. J. Vaughn entertained a group of friends last Sunday evening with a delightful social evening and buffet supper, at which time the birthday anniversaries of Mrs. Oscar Schmeizer and Miss Eleanor Vaughn were observed by those present, included in which were older people and a number of the young folks. The table from which the supper was served was charming in the Easter decorations of tall yellow candles and Easter lilies.

—The Choral Club held the second meeting on Tuesday evening, directed by Mr. Carl Bye. A good attendance was noted and the club plans to start rehearsing on the cantata, "The Building of the Ship," founded on the poem by Longfellow. Tuesday is the regular meeting day of the club.

—The Good Friday services of the Park Avenue Congregational First M. E. and the Heights Baptist churches, will be held this evening at the Baptist church, with the communion of the Lord's Supper. The several ministers will officiate and all are welcome to participate. The Easter Sunrise Service will be held, weather permitting, at Gilboa Rock on Easter morning at 7.15.

—The Women's Society of the Heights Baptist church held the monthly missionary meeting Tuesday afternoon, at the home of Mrs. J. W. Wanamaker. The subject of the afternoon was "Africa," and a letter was read from Rev. Nelson Muir, a missionary in Africa, who was formerly pastor of the Arlington Heights Baptist church. These letters from Mr. Muir are always interesting, telling of his work among the people there. Mrs. George Stevens sang two selections, which were much enjoyed. Refreshments and a social hour followed the program.

NEW EIGHT-ROOM SCHOOL WILL BE ERECTED ON IRVING STREET

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Academy street.

The plans of Charles G. Loring of Boston have been selected by the committee. Henry E. Richards of Arlington is connected with this firm, which, no doubt, will insure a personal interest being taken in the carrying out of the plans. Joseph Greenwood of Boston, has been awarded the contract to erect the building, his figures being \$80,747. This firm built the addition to the Cutter school. The lowest bidder for heating and ventilating was Isaac Coffin Co., for \$15,168; for plumbing, James S. Cassidy of Cambridge, price \$4125; electric, James Wilkinson & Co., of Boston, \$4,112.

There were nine general contractors who bid, six heating and ventilating concerns, four plumbers and five electrical concerns. Several of these were Arlington contractors. Others were invited to bid but were unable to do so on account of pressing business.

The committee in charge of the building of the new school house is Elliott R. Barker, chairman, a member of the School committee; Charles B. Devereaux, a former member of the Selectmen, but a member of the board when the committee was appointed; Charles A. Hardy, who is secretary of the committee; Walter F. Robinson and M. Ernest Moore. The building is expected to be ready with the reopening of the fall term in September. Work was begun this week.

EAST ARLINGTON

—Mrs. F. E. Durling has been confined to her home at 30 Newport street, with an attack of the gripe.

—The many friends of Mrs. William F. Clark of 21 Harlow street will be glad to know that she is convalescing from her recent illness.

—Mr. and Mrs. Frederick G. Davidson of 43 Fairmont st., are the parents of a daughter, Gertrude, born on March 27th.

—Mrs. A. W. Rutherford entertained the J. F. C. Club on Monday evening, March 29th, with supper bridge at her home, 1 Newcomb street.

—Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Serpa of 158 Lake street is extended the sympathy of friends in their recent bereavement in the death of their seven-weeks-old son, Manual, on March 24th, caused by bronchial pneumonia.

—The Women's Circle of Trinity Baptist church held a Birthday Party on Wednesday evening, March 30th. Mrs. Maude Maddocks was in charge of the birthday bags. An entertainment with refreshments occupied a part of the evening.

—The regular Fireside meeting of the Trinity Baptist church will be held today, Good Friday, April 2, instead of on Thursday evening. The communion of the Lord's Supper will be observed with the pastor, Rev. James E. Norcross presiding over the Communion table.

—Mr. C. M. Hunt returns to his home this week from an extended business trip in the west and the south, having been absent since the middle of February. His western trip took him as far as South Dakota and in the south he went as far as Jacksonville, Florida.

—On Easter morning at 6 o'clock, there will be an Easter Sunrise service at Trinity Baptist church, in charge of the Non-Six Girls with the devotional program in charge of Mrs. J. E. Norcross. At 7.30 a. m., another service will be held by the Young People's Society of the church.

—Holy Week services at the Church of Our Saviour began yesterday, April 1st, when Maundy Thursday was observed with a Holy Communion service at 7 a. m. At four o'clock, the Children's Lenten services were held, led by the pastor, Rev. Warren N. Pixby. The Good Friday services will be held this evening, April 2nd, at 8 o'clock, in charge of the pastor. Saturday afternoon at 3.30, the baptism of adults and children followed by a Cradle Roll party.

AMERICANIZATION CLASSES

The Americanization Classes of the Evening School Will Hold Public Exercise Tuesday Evening, April 6th.

The Americanization Classes will have their annual exercises at 8 o'clock, Tuesday evening, April 6, in the Junior High Centre Assembly Hall.

Mr. Chas. E. Hedlby, State Supervisor of Adult-Alien Education, will be the speaker of the evening. Mr. M. N. Stratton will award the certificates. Members of the classes will give a short program and also an exhibit of some of the work they have done this year.

The public is cordially invited.

LEND-A-HAND FOOD

The R. D. Lend-A-Hand Food Sale and Tea held on Tuesday afternoon, March 30th, at the home of Mrs. H. C. Cousens, 21 Maple street, proved most successful, over eighty dollars being realized from the efforts of the committee in charge of the sale and tea. The committee selling the cakes and home cooked foods, which were delicious, were Mrs. Russell P. Wise, Mrs. Robert C. Clifford, Jr., the latter who was also chairman of the afternoon, Mrs. Arthur Godbold, Mrs. Wentworth Carr, Mrs. Howard C. Cousens and Mrs. Remington G. Plummer. The tea was in charge and served by Miss Helen Rolfe, Mrs. David R. Kennedy, Mrs. Harold G. Storke and Miss Eleanor Homer.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Palm Sunday as Well as Easter Have Been Given Special Attention By Dr. Henry S. Potter and His People.

Last Sunday evening at the First Baptist church, Gounod's "Gallia" was sung by the chorus of the church with Miss Grace Gordon Pierce directing. There was a large audience present, who were inspired by the beautiful rendering of the sacred motet. Never has Miss Pierce been more enjoyed than in her solo work at this time. The sermon by Dr. Henry S. Potter, on "The Solitary City," was most appropriate to Palm Sunday, and to the music rendered. All together, the service was an unusually impressive one.

On Easter Sunday morning, there will be the ordinance of Christian baptism in connection with the service at this church. In the evening a large group of people, under direction of Mr. Derbyshire, will present the Pageant of the Resurrection entitled "The Dawning," presenting the message of the risen Christ thru the means of the religious drama. A large amount of time and energy are being put into the preparation for this living reproduction of the scenes. Wherever this pageant has been given it has received heartiest and most enthusiastic praise.

DAUGHTERS OF UNION VETERANS OF THE CIVIL WAR

Friday evening, March 26, the first regular meeting of the new Tent, numbered 76, (Fannie T. Hazen) Daughters of the Union Veterans of the Civil War, was held in G. A. R. Hall, Arlington. On account of ill health, the president, Mrs. Harriet Thompson, was obliged to resign,

high resignation was accepted with regret. Mrs. Alice Hopkins was unanimously elected, and installed as president for the year. She is a past president of Tent 1, of Dorchester.

A most cordial invitation was extended by Francis Gould, W. R. C. No. 43, to the Tent, to cooperate with them on Memorial Day, which was accepted with the same warm spirit.

At the close of the meeting, a whist party was enjoyed by the members and friends, the first of a series. There were twelve attractive souvenirs for the highest scorers. There were nine tables used in play. Another whist will be given, the date of which will be announced later.

The Tent meetings occur the 2nd and 4th Fridays of each month. At the installation of officers March 12, Mrs. Carrie W. Nason presented the Tent with an historical gavel owned by her father, Col. David W. Wardrop, past commander of Post 15, G. A. R.

NEW COMMITTEE ANNOUNCED

The Moderator Has Announced a Committee to Build The New Police Station.

Because of the fact that the committee appointed to secure a plan for the erection of a new Police Station, wished to be relieved from further service, which was announced at the annual town meeting when its chairman, Mr. Frederick W. Hill, presented his report, another has been selected by the moderator, John G. Brackett. They are Charles B. Devereaux, A. W. Lombard, Elliott R. Barker, P. J. Donnelly and Hellis M. Gott.

The former committee, which has been discharged, was Frederick W. Hill, William S. Fairchild, P. J. Donnelly, A. W. Lombard and Thomas O. D. Urquhart.

BELMONT IS INTERESTED IN SCOUTING

A meeting of about 40 men interested in Scouting was held in Belmont last Monday evening, in the library of the Belmont High school, representatives being present from every church in the town. Vice-president Sanford B. Comery of the Belmont District Committee presided. The starting of new troops was discussed at length and the ways and means of making Scouting better known in the town. It was decided to hold a big meeting in Belmont on the afternoon of April 11, with some prominent Scout official as the principal speaker.

TROOP 8 VETERANS ORGANIZE

Veteran's Night was celebrated by Troop 8, Scoutmaster Stephen M. Richardson, Sachem Council, B. S. A., at the regular meeting of the troop Wednesday evening in the ves-

try of the Pleasant Street Congregational church.

When Scoutmaster Richardson called the troop to attention for the opening exercises, there were present, besides the regular members of the troop and candidates, 16 former members of the troop, the entire troop committee and Scout Executive Richard Mellen, Commissioner A. L. Taylor and Deputy Commissioner Blaisdell of Belmont.

The veterans assisted at the regular opening exercises drawn up at one side of the room under command of former Senior Patrol Leader King Rugg. The presentation of Veteran Certificates to many former members followed.

There were games for half an hour, followed by refreshments served by the Troop Committee, assisted by Mrs. Guy E. Sanger, Mrs. Ernest A. Snow, Mrs. E. E. Brainard and Mrs. W. E. Lannefeld.

The Veterans' held a business meeting at which Edmund Frost was elected President and Richard Snow, Secretary. Other business necessary to a permanent organization was completed, after which short talks on the value of such an organization were given by Executive Mellen, Commissioner Taylor and Deputy Commissioner Brainard.

ARLINGTON MEN'S CLUB

The annual meeting of the Arlington Men's Club was held last Monday evening in the vestry of the Orthodox Congregational church, corner of Maple and Pleasant streets.

The meeting was preceded by a banquet, after which the annual reports were read by the chairmen of the various committees and also resolutions on the death of the Secretary, Dana Jones.

The nominating committee then made their report and the following were elected officers for the ensuing year:—president, W. S. Cannell; vice-president, Albin Cameron; secretary, L. E. A. Smith; treasurer, Stanley E. Cook; executive committee, Robert Thomas, Ernest Southwick and E. E. Stackpole.

Theodore H. Barrows rendered several solos during the evening. The speaker was Warren L. Bishop, assistant District Attorney of Middlesex County, who spoke on the work of the District Attorney's office during the last four years.

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MANY DISCUSSIONS BROUGHT UP AT ARLINGTON ANNUAL TOWN MEETING

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The election of such town officers as have to be elected from the floor at the annual town meeting, followed as presented by Chairman Frederick W. Hill. These were:—Arthur P. Wyman and George W. Kenty, fence viewers; Thomas O. D. Urquhart, Daniel M. Hooley, John Duffy, Theodore R. Belyea, E. C. Jacobs, Thomas F. Priest, F. Joseph Cahalin, and Daniel P. Barry, field drivers; Everett Chapman, fish preserver; Patrick F. Brosnahan, Edmund L. Curtis and Albert F. Duffy, measurers of bark and wood. Selectman Hill presented the report of the Selectmen and other town officers, with appended report of the assessors, in booklet form and these were accepted.

Under the reports of committees, Alfred W. Lombard, chairman of the Board of Health, made a lengthy report relative to the cleaning of Spy Pond. Three sets of figures were presented, each being in accordance with the amount of work and money the town wished to expend. Mr. Lombard's recommendation was that the outlet of the pond be governed by a gate and thus raise the level of the pond to such an extent that much of the weed growth will die because it cannot live in deep water.

Under article one of the annual warrant, \$13,425 was appropriated, plus the dog tax, for the Robbins Library. Mr. Muller spoke of what an asset our library is to the town and urged a more general use of it. The meeting then went back to the special warrant articles.

Under Article two it was voted to appropriate \$115,000 for the erection and equipment of a Police station on Central street. It was explained to the meeting by Mr. Hill that the committee set a limit of \$100,000 for the erection of this building and that several plans had been submitted but had to be turned down because the architects stated that they could not be erected within the \$100,000 set. By vote of the meeting, the moderator is to appoint a committee of five to have charge of the erection of this new building. Mr. Hill of the Board of Public Works, were members of the original committee, which asked to be relieved from further duty. Because of their duties in their respective offices, neither felt that they could serve on this committee longer, so the committee was asked to be relieved from further service. This was brought out later when Mr. William Douet asked why the committee appointed for the erection of the Police station on Central street, had asked to be discharged.

A long discussion arose over Article three, asking for an appropriation for a new school building on Irving street. The sum asked for by the committee, as recommended by the Finance Committee, was \$122,000, of which \$113,500 was for the building and \$8,500 for the furnishings. Earl A. Ryder, who has waged a campaign against the erection of a building on this lot ever since it was first proposed, opened the discussion by presenting a substitute motion asking that a committee of five be appointed to look into the necessity of such a building and report at the next town meeting. Mr. Ryder was not convinced that a new building was needed in this section, and felt that one reason for the new building was due to the fact that the old building now in use has become an eyesore to the residents of that section, and they wanted a more attractive building in its place. He is still firmly of the opinion that there will not be many more children in the section to be accommodated by this school, owing largely to the fact that the section is now practically all built up.

Professor Alexander H. Rice, chairman of the school committee, spoke of the lack of confidence that Mr. Ryder evidently had in the committee. He felt that the appointment of another committee would hold the matter up and that one reason for calling the special meeting, in fact the main reason, was to get an appropriation through so that work on the new school building could start at once so that the building could be completed when schools open next September. Prof. Rice stated that not only would the new school help the Parmenter section, but the Junior High Center. He did not agree with the birth statistics given by Mr. Ryder. Prof. Rice stated that a new Junior High school is badly needed and the committee would have recommended one this year had not the question of a new Police station been brought up. He stated that when schools open next September, there will be eleven new Junior high classes. That it is the intention of the school committee to use the old Parmenter school as well as the portables for the purpose of housing these new classes. Mr. Ryder's motion was put to a vote and was lost. By a unanimous vote, the meeting voted the sum asked by the committee for the new Parmenter school building.

The motion presented earlier in the evening by Mr. Muller, relative to the giving the local architects first choice was then brought up, the moderator ruling that this being of a constructive nature it could be brought up regardless of whether or not there was an article relating to it in the warrant. Elliott R. Barker, chairman of the committee in charge of the erection of the new schools, objected on the grounds that by competitive bidding the town was getting the most for the money, and if the committee was tied down to local men the best results might not be secured. He explained that local men had been invited to bid, but many had refrained from doing so because of lack of time or other reasons. G. Bertram Washburn, a member of the Finance committee and an architect, spoke against Mr. Muller's project, feeling that the competitive bidding

was the best for the town at large. When the vote was taken the subject matter for Mr. Muller's motion was lost.

Another long debate came under article five, asking that the town vote to take by eminent domain, a section of land bordered by Mass. avenue, Foster street, Broadway and Winter street. This the Finance committee was against, and recommended that the meeting vote this matter down. Prof. Rice offered a substitute motion to the effect that the town acquire by eminent domain or otherwise the tract of land at the end of what is known as the Tappan farm, facing Broadway, and a part of the land owned by the Boston Elevated Railway Company, and that \$36,000 be appropriated for this purpose. This tract would be four acres.

M. Ernest Moore asked if there was any possibility of getting the land on Tufts street, adjoining the lot now owned by the town and purchased some years ago for a site for a school house. Prof. Rice explained that this lot was not an ideal one.

Roger W. Homer felt that this matter should not be taken up until the Finance Committee had had opportunity to look into the matter and report back to the town. William A. Muller suggested that the action on this lot be postponed until later when something definite might be reported relative to what the Boston Elevated intended to do with the lot they own and on which the committee wished to erect at some future date, a Junior High school for East Arlington. On these same lines Nelson B. Crosby of the Selectmen asked that action be deferred until later. John J. Donahue stated that General Manager Dana of the Boston Elevated had stated recently that the car storage area was coming to Arlington, and if this is true we would have a school building on the same lot as the car barns.

It was brought out at this time that when the town had offered the Boston Elevated the land back of the High school for its storage area, the school committee had fought against this, owing to the fact that the tracks would be within 300 feet of the school, and a hindrance to the school work. Here on the site proposed the committee had turned around and were recommending putting the new 20-room school in the same yard with the tracks. Frank Walker also spoke along this line. In explanation of this attitude of the school committee, E. R. Barker stated that the committee had brought this matter up and had discussed it at length.

The question of taking any land at this point by eminent domain was raised. The Boston Elevated is a state controlled corporation, and it is doubtful if any land can be taken. Finally the matter was put to a vote. Seventy-one voted in the affirmative and one hundred and twenty in the negative, thus the substitute motion of Mr. Rice was lost and the meeting sustained the recommendation of the Finance Committee.

Under article six it was asked that the town revoke its acceptance of Chapter 635 of the Acts of 1912, relative to tenement houses in the town. The Finance committee had reported against taking any such action, but after Town Counsel White had explained what this meant, Mr. Fellows, in behalf of the Finance Committee, asked that the section be revoked and this was done. The meeting voted under article seven to accept the act relative to the granting of pensions to call firemen on the Fire Department, and also voted under Article eight to accept the provisions in the statutes governing the Police Department.

This closed the articles on the special warrant and the meeting was adjourned. The business of the regular meeting was again taken up, but it was doomed not to get very far.

Article five was first taken up, calling for an appropriation of \$470,815 for the schools of the town to be divided up as follows:—Salaries and wages, \$353,120; fuel, \$16,500; repairs, remodeling and new equipment, \$33,995; supplies and expense, \$64,200, and Spy Pond field, \$3000.

William A. Muller, in a very illuminating speech, showed that during the past year the town had spent over \$580,000 for schools. William A. Drouet at this point asked as to whether or not the meeting intended to adjourn, if not he was going to speak at length regarding the school situation in the town. He claimed that time and methods were wasted and stated that in 20 Preparatory schools there are 74 Arlington boys and girls, showing that among some residents there is dissatisfaction with the schools of this town. Mr. Drouet was of the opinion that the fault is not with the school committee, neither with the teachers, but with the town meeting members, and he blamed himself as much as anyone. He had two remedies that he felt would work to the advantage of the town, one was to take away much of the work of the school committee and superintendent where it does not relate to school matters. He advocated a Department of Public Buildings for this purpose. His other plan is to segregate the sexes, feeling better results of pupils' work can be obtained. He was of the opinion that parents should find the superintendent available at all times, rather than it being necessary to make an appointment of some two weeks after a request is made for an interview, as has been the case.

Prof. Rice defended the schools, stating that the fault is not with the teachers if a boy or girl fails to graduate, but with the parents. He stated that the weakest point in the schools is the home. This debate was lengthy and rather sharp at times. Roger Homer inquired as to the no-school signal. Prof. Rice replied that the Fire Department no longer furnished the means for the signal, which was the reason for its being discontinued. He stated that there is a committee now working on the matter in view of the many petitions received by the school com-

mittee for its renewal, and when the schools reopen in September there will be something definite to report. After appropriating the amount asked for by the school committee, the meeting adjourned until Monday evening, April 5, at 8.00 o'clock.

FIRST PARISH ANNUAL MEETING

Church Organ To Be Rebuilt by Friends of the Parish.

The First Congregational Parish in Arlington (The Unitarian church), held its annual meeting in the vestry on the evening of Thursday, March 25. Preceding the business meeting, dinner was served by the Social Alliance and the Laymen's League. Judge James P. Parmenter was chosen Moderator. The usual routine business was transacted, and appropriations of \$10,450.00 made for the ensuing year.

The music committee and some friends specially interested in the church music, offered to rebuild the organ, the money being already provided and the detailed specifications arranged with James Cole, who built the original instrument. The offer was gratefully accepted, and the work will be done during the summer, the donors expending about \$8,000. All the present stops will be retained and some new ones added. The present mechanism will be discarded, and an entirely new, modern electric-pneumatic action will be installed. The enlarged organ will represent a value of about \$18,000.

In connection with the suggestion of the minister as to a change in the pastorate, the Moderator was requested to name six members to act, in conjunction with the Parish Committee, on Ministerial Supply. Mr. Charles W. Tilton, after many years' service, retired, having removed to Brookline.

The officers of the Parish now are: Parish Committee, Mr. Charles H. Stevens, chairman; Mr. Walton H. Sears, Mr. William G. Rice; Music Committee, Mr. Edward S. Fessenden, chairman; Mrs. James A. Bailey, Mr. William T. Foster; Treasurer, Mr. Edward A. Bailey; Clerk, Mr. Frank Y. Wellington.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

PROBATE COURT

Middlesex ss.
To the heirs-at-law, next of kin and all other persons interested in the estate of Ellen S. Prentiss, late of Arlington, in said County, deceased.

WHEREAS, a certain instrument purporting to be the last will and testament of said deceased has been presented to said Court, for Probate, by George O. Russell who prays that letters testamentary may be issued to him the executor therein named, without giving a surety on his official bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court, to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the fourteenth day of April A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause, if any you have, why the same should not be granted. And said petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Arlington Advocate, a newspaper published in Arlington, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court, and by mailing post-paid, or delivering a copy of this citation to all known persons interested in the estate, seven days at least before said Court.

Witness, JOHN C. LEGGAT, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this twenty-second day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

26mar3w LORING P. JORDAN, Register.

COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS

PROBATE COURT

Middlesex ss.

To the heirs-at-law, next of kin, creditors, and all other persons interested in the estate of Vesta C. Turner, late of Arlington, in said County, deceased, intestate.

WHEREAS, a petition has been presented to said Court to grant a letter of administration on the estate of said deceased to William E. Turner of Billerica in the County of Middlesex, without giving a surety on his bond.

You are hereby cited to appear at a Probate Court to be held at Cambridge, in said County of Middlesex, on the twelfth day of April A. D. 1925, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, to show cause if any you have, why the same should not be granted.

And the petitioner is hereby directed to give public notice thereof, by publishing this citation once in each week, for three successive weeks, in the Arlington Advocate, a newspaper published in Arlington, the last publication to be one day, at least, before said Court.

Witness, JOHN C. LEGGAT, Esquire, First Judge of said Court, this nineteenth day of March in the year one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six.

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ARLINGTON LOCALS

—The "Town Crier" will be in the "Follies of '76" at the Town Hall on next Thursday and Friday evenings. This is the only real important event of next week.

—Harold Brown, of 61 Lowell street, had his bicycle stolen while standing in front of a store on Park avenue on Friday of last week.

—There old time songs will certainly please as sung by the mixed chorus in Town Hall next Thursday and Friday evenings in the "Follies of '76" given by the Rotary Club of this town.

—Traffic Officer Charles O. Toomey had a close call on Tuesday. While doing traffic duty on the avenue, a passing electric car hit him on the left shoulder, causing a painful injury to that member.

—Robert Spence, of 41 Forest street, was bitten by a stray dog on Saturday, while he was walking on Forest street. The case was reported to the police, and an effort made to find the dog.

—"Down on the Levee," with Moses Mendelssohn and his zither, Old Black Joe and the Pickaninies is one of the cleverest stunts ever put on an amateur stage. This will be seen at the "Follies of '76" given the 8th and 9th of April, by the Arlington Rotary club.

—Mrs. Eben F. Dewing and her daughter, Miss Dorothy, also Mrs. Arthur E. Norton, and Miss Helen Norton, have been spending a few days in Washington. They also visited in Atlantic City and New York City on the way home.

—The program given at the Calvary M. E. church by the Morgan Memorial Vesper quartet, Tuesday evening, was a splendid one, consisting of varied numbers of musical selections and readings. The large number who attended, enjoyed the evening's entertainment and were appreciative of the efforts of the artists.

—Recently, the National Safety Council held a poster contest, in which they invited students of every high school to take part. There were 2000 posters presented, and among the successful candidates for prizes were three Arlington High students, Miss Esther Alden, Preston Baston and Philip Peirce.

—Monday, an alarm was sent in from Box 452 for a fire on the roof of a house owned and occupied on one side by J. J. Sullivan, and on the other side by William P. Dale at 1087 Mass. avenue. The timely discovery of the fire saved the house from serious damage. The fire had worked its way down through the roof into the attic, but the firemen made a good stop.

—The lecture to be given next Tuesday evening, April 6th, in the Unitarian vestry, by Mr. Cram on English Gardens, illustrated with auto chrome slides, is to be instructive as well as enjoyable, for Mr. Cram, himself, a landscape gardener, has adapted these gardens so beautifully to the needs of both the large and small gardens in America and will prove of great benefit to those who are planning their gardens for the coming summer. An evening of rare enjoyment is planned by the Clover Lend-a-Hand Club, from whose members tickets at \$1.00 each may be procured.

—This being Holy Week, St. Agnes Parochial school has been closed. It will reopen next Monday morning.

—Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sterling Morse are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter at 26 Hopkins road on April 1st.

—Miss Thyra P. Upton entertained the Mercere Club at her home, 19 Whittemore street, on Wednesday evening.

—A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Vallone of 23 Dudley street, on March 27th, at Symmes Arlington Hospital.

—During the month of February there were sixteen building permits issued and the amount of the same was \$79,750.00.

—The Mission Circle of the First Universalist church will meet next Monday afternoon, April 5th, at the home of Mrs. Wallace M. Power, 39 Jason street.

—Fair Tuesday, April 6th, at Odd Fellows Hall by the Rebekah Lodge. Dinner from 12 to 2.50; supper, 5 to 7.35; dancing during the evening. 25c. 26mar2w

—Traffic officer Albert Ryan had a narrow escape from injury on Sunday afternoon, while directing traffic from the stand at the head of Medford street and Mass. avenue. An

—The builders started work on the new Funeral Home of J. H. Hartwell & Son (L. E. A. Smith, proprietor) this week, and when finished will be the finest equipped establishment of its kind this side of Boston.

—Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gordon Ladd, nee Louise Belcher Brown, of 68 Mt. Vernon street, are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Linda Ladd, at Symmes Hospital on March 27th.

—Mrs. Nelson B. Crosby is visiting her daughters, Mrs. Nelson Jost, and Mrs. Murray Wardwell, at Paterson, N. J. Mrs. Crosby's daughters are residing in the same house which has been recently purchased by Mr. Jost.

—Miss Martha Schaedel is conducting a tour to Washington, D. C., the first week in May. The trip is to be made by bus, visiting New York City, Annapolis, Philadelphia, Baltimore, Washington and Gettysburg. For detailed account, call Uni. 5550-W.

—A miscellaneous shower was tendered to Miss Helen Lockhart, at her home on Tuesday evening, by a group of twenty-five friends. Miss Lockhart is affianced to Mr. Kenneth Wass of this town, and the wedding is to take place the middle of April.

—The Bradshaw Missionary Association of the Orthodox Congregational church will hold the regular all day meeting on Monday, April 5. The sewing will be at 11 o'clock; luncheon at 12.30. At 3 o'clock, Miss Francis Treadwell is to speak on "Our Mexican Neighbors."

—Sunday afternoon, Edward Curley, aged two and a half years, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Curley of 1271 Mass. avenue, was struck by an automobile operated by S. J. Drysdale of 19 Paris street, Everett, and knocked down. The little boy, who was playing in front of his home, started out onto the street. He was taken to the Symmes Arlington Hospital with a cut in the back of his head. He was held for observation but later taken home.

—Mrs. George B. J. Rogers of 44 Lombard terrace entertained the daughters of Vermont at her home last Thursday afternoon, with an auction bridge. There was a large group present, among whom were the president, Mrs. Bert S. Currier of the Heights, besides members of her staff and several special guests. Automobile operated by Wallace A. Walker of 4 Rice circle, Cambridge, started to pass the traffic stand, when it swerved into the stand. The impact knocked the policeman out through the canvass, but he escaped without injury. The driver of the machine stated after the accident that a child in the car with him hit the steering wheel, which caused him to lose control for an instant.

—Mr. William C. Drouet left Arlington on Saturday to visit his sister in Rochester, N. Y., for over the Easter vacation, which privilege he has not been able to indulge in for fourteen years. Because of this, Mr. Drouet will be absent for the first time since he became a Town Meeting Member. This was the first year that the limited town meeting form of government was adopted, which was in January, 1921.

—Tuesday morning, Patrolman Daniel P. Barry, who does desk duty on the day shift of the department, had occasion to enter the guard room only to find that room filled with smoke, also the emergency room. The smoke was finally discovered coming up through a register in the emergency room. Water was thrown down the same that quickly put out what fire there was there. Evidently some old material that had lodged in the register had started to cause trouble.

—The many friends of Traffic Officer George E. Moore sympathize with him in the death of his mother, Mrs. Mary E. McDermott Moore, at his home on last week. The funeral was held on Monday morning from Mr. Moore's home, 62 Fountain road. A high mass of requiem was celebrated in St. James church by Rev. John J. Morrissey. A number of neighbors and friends attended and there were many beautiful floral tributes. Musical sections of the mass were sung by members of the church choir. Burial was in St. Paul cemetery.

—A year ago last Easter, Mr. and Mrs. Henry A. Kidder of the Orthodox Congregational church, presented the pastor, Rev. Don Ivan Patch, with a beautiful Bible book mark. When Mr. Patch left the church to become associate pastor with Dr. Jason Novel Pierce, at the First Congregational church in Washington, known as the President's church, because President Coolidge has selected it to attend church services, he took the book mark with him. It is now occupying a place in the Bible on the pulpit of that church. In a letter written this week to the Kidder's, Mr. Patch mentioned the fact that the book mark had found a place in the Bible on the pulpit. Dr. Pierce enjoys having it there.

—Mr. and Mrs. William D. Wanzel, accompanied by the latter's sister, Phoebe C. Clark, of New York, attended on Wednesday afternoon, the wedding in Dorchester, Mass., of Mr. Wanzel's niece, Miss Belle Eulalie Wanzel, to Mr. Irving Hawthorne Winslow, of Saratoga, N. Y. Both bride and groom are graduates of college of class 1920. The bride descends from the New York City Knickerbocker Dutch, and the groom from the Colonial Winslow family. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Charles R. Jox of the First Parish Church of Dedham, Mass., who is a brother-in-law of the bride. Numerous relatives of both families were present. The couple are spending their honeymoon in North Carolina.

BETTER HOMES CONFERENCE
WILL BE HELD IN ARLINGTON
APRIL TWENTY-EIGHTH

Plans for the Better Homes Conference and Demonstration to be held in the Town Hall on Wednesday, April 28, are progressing favorably, and all organizations thus far approached, are interested and willing to cooperate.

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If you have an original idea for this campaign, please give it to Mrs. Curt S. Currier, Mrs. Joseph W. Downs, or the president of your club or organization.

ARLINGTON WOMAN'S CLUB

The Spring Gambols for Home Talent Day, Thursday, April 15, will be produced by both professional and amateur talent, all residing in Arlington. The amateurs are all members of the club or are on the waiting list. The program will include a radio sketch, fancy dancing, musical entertainment, a reading and illustrated songs.

DINNER DANCE TENDERED
MISS DORIS CRONIN

Last Friday evening, March 26th, at the Copley Plaza hotel, a very pretty dinner dance was tendered Doris Cronin, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cronin of Freeman street, Arlington, the occasion being her birthday. Among those present were Dorothea and Alice Chapman, Louise Lambert, Peggy Callaghan, Emery Willard, Gene Stone, Edward MacFarlane, Harold Jennings and Richard Graham, all of Chestnut Hill.

The table was elaborately decorated with spring flowers and each young lady received a corsage of sweet peas, while the young men received boutonnières of pinks. Doris was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

On account of an attack of grippe, Mrs. Cronin was unable to attend. Mrs. Chester Adams, her sister, received with Mr. Cronin.

PHILATHEA CLASS OF
TRINITY CHURCH HOLD
SECOND GUEST NIGHT

The second annual Guest Night of the Philathea Class of the Trinity Baptist church was held at the church last Friday evening, March 26th. The decorations used in the rooms where the affair took place were the Easter colorings of yellow, lavender and white, which made a most attractive setting for the large company present. There was a reception at 8 o'clock, when music was furnished by an orchestra made up of Miss Christine Vallender, piano; Alice Holmes, violin, and Virginia Holmes, cellist. Each member of the class present had a guest, while guests of the class were Rev. and Mrs. James E. Norcross, Miss Mildred Norcross, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Corcoran, Mrs. J. B. Calkins, Miss Ethel Kinney and Mr. Dubeck.

The reception was followed by a program of delightful readings by Miss Miriam Gow and many well rendered selections by the orchestra. A one-act play given by Miss Gow concluded the program, after which refreshments of ice cream, cake and punch were enjoyed. Mrs. F. H. Hopkins, teacher, also members of the class, were congratulated on the success of the evening.

WELFARE COUNCIL
MONTHLY MEETING

The monthly meeting of the Arlington Welfare Council was held last Friday, March 26th, at the Hearing room of the Town Hall. Mrs. Harold Rice, vice-president, was in charge and the routine work was disposed of. Dr. Theresa B. Thomas explained the plans for the summer camp for tubercular children. Twelve children out of fifty-nine suspects were sent from Arlington last summer. The Council want to send an equal number this year. The cost per child for eight weeks is \$80.00. \$500 only is available. This money was raised from the sale of the Christmas Health Seals.

MR. AND MRS. FRANK E.
THOMPSON ENTERTAIN
DINNER PARTY OF 32

On Saturday evening of last week the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Frank E. Thompson, at 208 Pleasant street, was the scene of a delightful dinner party of thirty-two guests, most of whom were out of town friends of the couple. It had been planned for a stag party of sixteen by Mr. Thompson. Mr. Harry Hunter, who bought the Bartlett estate adjoining that of the Thompsons, was included in the party, so Mrs. Hunter invited the wives of Mr. Thompson's guests to the Hunter home, supposedly for dinner, but when the ladies arrived they were invited to go to the home of the Thompsons, the excuse being to take a peek at the table arranged in the dining room by Mrs. Thompson.

When they arrived they discovered that they also were expected to dine at the Thompson home. They in one room and the husbands in the other. Both tables were dreams of loveliness in the floral decoration of yellow, pink and lavender. Cards and Mah Jong occupied the evening at the close of the dinner.

MENOTOMY CHAPTER D. A. R.
HOLD EASTER LUNCHEON

The Luncheon given by the Ways and Means committee of the Menotomy Chapter, D. A. R., on Tuesday, March 30th, at 1 o'clock at the St. John's Parish House, was attended by about ninety, when a delicious menu was served. The decorations of white and yellow, in keeping with the Easter season, were used on the tables. The afternoon following the luncheon was spent in a social way, when a large number enjoyed bridge. The Ways and Means committee is made up of Mrs. Anna R. F. Taudien, chairman; Mrs. Lila H. B. Lombard, Mrs. Anna P. B. Young, Miss Frances Waman, Mrs. Kathryn M. Southwick and Miss Evelyn P. Frost.

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